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Dear Chairman Gallot and Speaker Tucker,

My husband and I would like to voice our opposition to the proposed elimination of District 81 and incorporating the district with an area from Orleans Parish.

We moved to District 81 18 years ago because of redistricting for a Jefferson Parish Council seat in our old neighborhood . I can assure you, when your representative does not live in your community you are not properly represented. Our neighborhood was a pleasant well rounded community, redistricting happened and you can no longer drive in the area without fearing for your life.

Combining our area with a New Orleans neighborhood can only bring decline to an otherwise thriving, family oriented community. We do understand redistricting must move forward, however, the redistricting should be designed so communities in any given area are represented by someone living in that community.

Thank you for allowing me to voice our concerns.

Sincerely,

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